

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	Confirmation No.: 2637
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Application Number: 10/517,219	)	Examiner: C. CHEN
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Filed: December 3, 2004	)	
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For: USE OF GINKGO BILOBA EXTRACTS IN ORDER TO PROMOTE MUSCLE MASS TO THE DETRIMENT OF FATTY MASS	)	

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND  
NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Final Office Action mailed on June 23, 2009, in the above-captioned application. Applicant previously paid a one month extension of time in the amount of \$130.00 on October 23, 2009, therefore Applicant submits the difference of \$980.00. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including December 23, 2009.

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

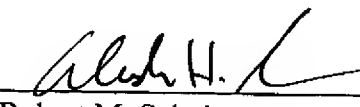
Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action mailed June 23, 2009, rejecting claims 11-12 in the above-captioned application. Applicant hereby authorizes the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") to charge the amount of \$540.00 to cover the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §41.20(b)(1). Applicant believes that no additional fees are required for the submission of this Notice of Appeal. However, in the event that the USPTO requires any additional fees to enter this Notice of Appeal, please charge such fee to the undersigned's **Deposit Account No. 50-0206**.

Respectfully submitted,

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